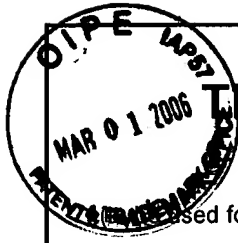


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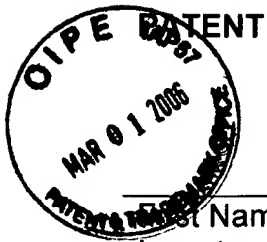
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This Response to Restriction Requirement is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed January 27, 2006. Applicant elects Group I (Claims 1-11, 13-25, 27-28, and newly added claims 40-54) without traverse.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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